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REMARKS

Applicant hereby submits that the enclosures fulfill the requirements under 37 C.F.R. §1.821-1.825. The amendments in the specification merely insert the paper copy of the Sequence Listing and sequence identifiers in the specification. No new matter has been added.

Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the specification by the current amendment.

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“Version With Markings to Show Changes Made”

In the specification:

Paragraph beginning at page 8, line 13, has been amended as follows:

Figures 1A-1D depict the cDNA sequence (SEQ ID NO:1) and predicted amino acid sequence (SEQ ID NO:2) of human CARD-7. The methionine-initiated open reading frame of human CARD-7 (nucleotides 523 to 4809 of SEQ ID NO:1) is shown in SEQ ID NO:5.

Paragraph beginning at page 8, line 28, has been amended as follows:

Figures 4A-4C depict the cDNA sequence (SEQ ID NO:3) and predicted amino acid sequence (SEQ ID NO:4) of human CARD-8. The methionine-initiated open reading frame of human CARD-8 (nucleotides 314 to 1606 of SEQ ID NO:3) is shown in SEQ ID NO:6.

Paragraph beginning at page 9, line 7, has been amended as follows:

Figure 7 depicts the nucleotide sequence of a human CARD-5 cDNA (SEQ ID NO:7). The open reading frame of this cDNA extends from nucleotide [53] 54 to nucleotide 638 of SEQ ID NO:7 (SEQ ID NO:9) and encodes a 195 amino acid protein SEQ ID NO:8). The complementary strand of SEQ ID NO:7 is shown in SEQ ID NO:10.